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## **INFORMATIONAL LETTER NO.1315**

DATE: November 15, 2013

TO: Iowa Medicaid Ophthalmologists, Optometrists and Opticians

FROM: Iowa Department of Human Services, Iowa Medicaid Enterprise (IME)

RE: Repair Codes for Eyeglass Lenses and Frames

Informational Letter 967 issued on November 15, 2010, advised of the codes to be used for the repair of eyeglass lenses and frames. This letter is to clarify how the codes are to be billed.

The following Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes are to be used as repair codes:

Code	Description
92370	Non-Aphakia
92371	Aphakia

When both the lenses and frames are repaired on the same date of service, one unit should be billed. The fee schedule reflects pricing consistent with the Correct Coding Initiative (CCI) and Medicare Unlikely Edits (MUE) usage. Please note that CPT code 92371 is often not payable if it is billed with another code and must be used as a stand-alone code. Procedure codes W2005 for lens repair and W2006 are obsolete.

If you have any questions please contact the IME Provider Services Unit at 1-800-338-7909, or locally in Des Moines at 515-256-4609 or by email at imeproviderservices@dhs.state.ia.us.